

METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR LUBRICATING DENTAL APPLIANCES

ABSTRACT

5 A system for repositioning teeth comprises a plurality of individual appliances that
are treated with a lubricious composition. The appliances are configured to be placed
successively on the patient's teeth and to incrementally reposition the teeth from an initial
tooth arrangement, through a plurality of intermediate tooth arrangements, and to a final
tooth arrangement. The system of appliances is usually configured at the outset of treatment
10 so that the patient may progress through treatment without the need to have the treating
professional perform each successive step in the procedure.